## **RESOLUTION NO. 62**

**WHEREAS,** on Saturday, June 2, 2007, the Saint Louis Public Schools Safety and Security Division will host an awards ceremony, honoring school safety officers for being dedicated and loyal employees of the Saint Louis Public Schools Safety and Security Division; and

**WHEREAS,** Sergeant Winthrop P. Boykin is the recipient of the Saint Louis Public Schools Safety and Security Division's 2007 Sergeant of the Year award; and

**WHEREAS,** Sergeant Winthrop P. Boykin earned the Sergeant's of the Year award, for his exemplary leadership and selfless acts of time and dedication. Sergeant Boykin's attention to detail and professionalism has assisted with elevating the Saint Louis Public Schools Safety and Security Division to a level of excellence recognized throughout the law enforcement community; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Winthrop P. Boykin has worked in the Saint Louis Public Schools Safety and Security Division for more than thirty years and has established an excellent rapport with staff, administration, students and parents of the Saint Louis Public Schools System; and

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Winthrop P. Boykin has been an employee that has been responsible, conscientious, alert and dependable; and

**WHEREAS**, he has had the duty and responsibility of ensuring an environment within our Saint Louis Public Schools and other sites that is both safe and conducive for teaching and learning; and

**WHEREAS**, on Friday, June 29, 2007, at the end of his work day Sergeant Winthrop P. Boykin will officially retire from the Saint Louis Public Schools Safety & Security Division; and

WHEREAS, the Saint Louis Public Schools Safety and Security Division will forever be grateful for his loyal and dedication service towards the staff, administration, students and parents of the Saint Louis Public Schools System. Sergeant Winthrop P. Boykin will be truly missed throughout the entire Saint Louis Public Schools System.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that this Board of Aldermen congratulates our honoree Sergeant Winthrop P. Boykin, Area III Supervisor of School Safety & Security for the Saint Louis Public Schools on his retirement and many achievements including the Sergeant's of the Year award and encourage him to continue in his endeavors and commitment to community service and the youth in the Saint Louis Public Schools, we adopt this resolution to evidence our support and admiration for the many works he has accomplished in the Saint Louis Public Schools System; The Board further directs the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of the Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and prepare a commemorative copy to the end that it may be presented to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the sponsor.

Introduced on the 1st day of June, 2007 by:

Honorable Lewis Reed, President of the Board of Aldermen

Adopted this the 1<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2007 as attested by: